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We dont like the expression "Into the penitentiary *or* out of the State." Into the penitentiary or an acquittal sounds better.

Judge Westbrook of the New York Supreme Court has recently denied a motion to vacate an attatchment against the Georgia R. R. which was issued at the suit of a Mr. Iselin who holds bonds of the Port Royal R. R. Co. which were guaranteed by the Georgia Company.

Why dont the Adjutant General call in the guns that were issued to the militia in this town? There is a large number of muskets and some Winchester rifles hereabouts that should be gathered up and placed in some safe place where they will be cared for.

We should like to know if any of the papers of this State have collected their bills for advertising the list of U. S. Internal Revenue taxes, authorized by L. Cass Carpenter. We received a letter from the Commissioner some time ago in which he stated that our bill had been allowed July 2nd but as yet we are without the interesting check due us. We are afraid we have been "Chloroformed" to the extent of $27.

POTTER'S AMERICAN MONTHLY FOR THE FAMILY AND HOME is out for August, with a splendid array of original matter and illustrations, History and Travels, Romance, Arts, Science, Literature, Oddities, Current Events and Gossip. We thought the last number could not be excelled, but this issue is really in advance of it—in contributors, nature and variety. As an American periodical it should be in every American home, as it is always entertaining and instructive while maintaining a moral standard worthy of being copied. JOHN E. POTTER & Co., PHILADELPHIA, PUBLISHERS.

Next Monday the voters of Beaufort will elect an Intendant and six Wardens to serve for the coming year. Two tickets are in the field one bearing the name of Alfred Williams for Intendant, the other W. C. Bellows. The great object of the move to displace the old regime is to reduce our heretofore heavy taxation to the lowest possible amount. The composition of both tickets are an improvement on that of last year, but when either is claimed to be in a great measure the best we fail to see where the argument holds good. It was hoped that others would allow their names to be used who would have given more strength to the Reform ticket but as usual with many of our prominent citizens, they declined.

The following are the tickets.

FOR INTENDANT	FOR INTENDANT.
ALFRED WILLIAMS.	W, C. BELLOWS.
For Wardens	*For Wardens*
George Holmes,	George Waterhouse,
G. F. Ricker,	F. W. Scheper,
J. P. Boyce,	W. H. Lockwood,
S. J. Bampfield,	Z. McGill,
Cato Perry	Wm. Mitchell,
Richard Washington.	Rev. J. B. Middleton.

AN ADDRESS

To the Taxpayers of the

Town of Beaufort.

At a meeting of the taxpayers of the town of Beaufort, held Wednesday evening, August 1st., the following address was adopted and ordered to be published:

Fellow Citizens: Our municipal election is near at hand and we will be called upon soon to elect an Intendant and board of Councilmen to conduct the affairs of this town for another year. Every one rich and poor, high and low, white or colored, must realize the necessity of a change that will guarrantee retrenchment of expenditures and a wholesale reform in the administration of the public trusts. There are considerations that have no political or party significance and equally address themselves to all classes of citizens who bear the burdens of taxation regardless of whether he be black or white Republican or Democrat. Groaning under the burden of an unnecessarily exorbitant taxation, the merchant the mechanics and the working man alike feel the extortion upon his slender profits to raise an amount for an extravagant and reckless administration to squander. The annual amount of taxes raised by the Corporation of Beaufort for the past three years has been in round numbers about $10.000 annually, almost as much as that raised for expenses of the county with its expensive machinery of Courts and yet the town is in debt and has to borrow money at a heavy rate of interest to pay its employees. Who shall say that so exorbitant a levy in comparison to the advantages derived is necessary or demanded and who can doubt with the experiences of other administrations in this same town that half that sum honestly judiciously and economically expended would procure greater benefits and husband one half of the present rate of taxation for the hard earned rewards of honest toil or legitimate investment.

The high and exorbitant salaries now paid to officials should instead be devoted to public improvement and to the employment of labor which would redound to the permanent improvement of the town and to a more equal distribution of town patronage to the poor mechanic and to the poor day laborer.

Feeling the necessity of a change we propose a ticket for Intendant and Wardens composed of some of our most solid and sterling citizens regardless of color or political affiliation and that must address itself to the favorable consideration of every tax paying citizen, white or colored, who is in favor of economy and who has the interest of the town at heart.

We invite our colored Fellow Citizens to consider dispassionately their interests and unite with us in this attempt to elect men who will favor retrenchment and economy. To the mechanic we would say that as long as taxes are so high and so ruthlessly expended that he will get no employment and must remain idle from the indisposition and inability of property holders to renovate or improve their property during the continuance of an administration in which they have no confidence. The laborer must realize that if there was not so much expended for taxation there would be more to devote to wages and to the employment of their time.

Come one, come all then with a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull altogether and on Monday next vote solidly for the following ticket. The names proposed are those of citizens well known to you and it is scarcely necessary to add are honest, true and tried and are interested like yourselves in a moderate and just expenditure of the town finances, and that this selection has been a guarantee that if elected they will faithfully and honestly administer the trusts and lighten the burden of taxation.

FOR INTENDANT.
W. C. BELLOWS.
FOR WARDENS
F. W. SCHEPER,
GEORGE WATERHOUSE,
W. H. LOCKWOOD,
WM MITCHELL,
REV. J. B. MIDDLETON,
Z. McGILL.

The Banditti at Bay.

The complete demoralization among the leaders of the late Republican party in this State, and the forced flight of many who were so fortunate as to escape the clutches of the sheriff reads like a romance. The trouble here was that no investigation ever set on foot before was able to unearth any of the crimes of the ring that money would not hush up and it is suspected that of the millions that have been stolen the committees have always got the lion's share and the thieves were in the end plucked of their plunder.

In an article, on Thursday last, the *News and Courier* gives a list of the fugitives and also of those now under arrest for their participation in frauds. It begins with Niles G. Parker who was the first to flee from a verdict against him for $5.000 for fraudulently manipulating Conversion bonds. The next to leave was C. P. Leslie the great Barnwell agitator, who was the engineer of the Land Commission frauds. J. H. Jones and E. V. Glover, legislators from Georgetown next disappeared, and the next departure was D. H. Chamberlain followed two days later by the cadet-seller Whittemore. Cass Carpenter was next arrested, charged with forgery, but gave bail and is now at large. Y. J. P. Owens from Laurens was the next to seek a more congenial clime leaving as odorous a reputation behind him as any of the famous crew. Ex-Gov. Scott has gone to Ohio, whether to remain permanently or not is not known.

Cardozo's turn came next, but after his arrest was more fortunate than his fellows, gave $20.000 bail and now it is reported he has disappeared and will not appear for trial. Henry E. Hayne ex-Secretary of State next left for parts unknown, followed by ex-Lieut-Governor Gleaves whose residence for three weeks past has not been discovered. Mr. Corbin has left for Europe where it is said, he will remain until he sees the skies clear up. Ex-Judge Hoge has left for his former home in Ohio.

On the 24th, of July S. J. Lee, colored ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives and Solicitor of the Second Circuit, was arrested, charged with the fraudulent issue of pay certificates, and awaits trial.

On the same day ex-Governor and ex-Speaker F. J. Moses, was arrested on a similar charge, and conveyed to Columbia, where he awaits trial.

On the 25th, A. O. Jones, colored, ex-Clerk of the House, was arrested on a charge of fraud and perjury, and taken to Columbia, where he is awaiting trial.

C. W. Montgomery, ex-State Senator is under arrest and awaiting trial on the charge of fraudulently issuing pay certificates,

Josephus Woodruff, ex-Clerk of the Senate, fled the State, but has been re-captured, and brought back for trial. The charges against him are complex and the evidence is delightfully complete.

The *News* gives a list of a score more of those whose arrest or flight is daily expected, and it is said that all those who participated in the steals of the Republican Printing Company are to be arrested and made to disgorge, besides those who shared in the fraudulent certificates issued in 1872, and Beaufort county will contribute generously to the quota called for. Ex-Gov. Moses has produced a package of documents that it is claimed will furnish evidence that will bring down many birds of prey, and a full disclosure of the greatest band of robbers that ever existed is expected to be made and the members of the gang punished to the extent of the law.

Annual Report

OF THE

INTENDANT, TOWN OF BEAUFORT.

To the Honorable The Wardens of the Town Council

Gentlemen: In accordance with the ordinance defining the powers and duties of the Intendant, I have the honor to submit my annual report as the Intendant of the Town of Beaufort for the fiscal year ending July 31st 1877.

The report includes all expenditures authorized by the Town Council as appears in the itemized statement of the number, date, to whom issued, and the amount of each check. Vouchers for all bills are also herewith submitted.

I find upon examination of the Treasurer's annual report that the total collections on account of taxes on real estate and taxes on personal estate 5839,83
From licenses 2308,00
From all other sources. 571,57

Total $8719.40

The expenditures for the various departments of the town government have been as follows:

Streets and Sewers	$1806.16
Police;	1039,50
Town expenses,	573.07
Sanitary,	861,48
Contingent,	94,10
Clerk and Treasurer,	757,88
Town Marshal,	530,00
Intendant,	600,00
Poor account,	5.80
Town Improvements,	332.09
Town Indebtedness,	2314.12
Abatement,	50.00
Fire Department,	634.60.
Total	9628,80

In refering to the matter of taxes I desire to make some suggestions for the consideration of the incoming council.

In my judgment many pieces of property are assessed at too high a value and in other cases the value is far below what it should be, thus making the burden of taxation unequal among the owners of real estate.

The distinction in the rate of taxation of one fourth of one per cent in favor of those whose property consists of personal estate only, is as unfair as it is unlawful and should be repealed and made uniform with other taxes as no sound reason can be urged why discrimination in favor of that kind of property should be made, the value and amount of which is almost necessarily left entirely with the person who makes the return.

The Committee on Assessment should be appointed at least two months before the passage of the supply bill so that a complete revision of the assessment can be made and the amount of the same reported to Council which should then be charged to the Treasurer, thus fixing his responsibility and at the same time furnish a basis upon which the annual supply bill could be framed.

I would also suggest that the quarterly reports of the Treasurer be made through the Intendant to Council, which plan would secure more prompt reports, and furnish this office with information as to the financial condition of the Town from time to time. As the law now is no official information can be had unless the Treasurer makes his quarterly reports to the Town Council as required by law.

The regular bonded indebtedness of the Town issued for the purchase and payment of a steam fire engine &c and issued to the Silsby manufacturing Co amounts to $1650-principal and interest to the date of maturity Feb 1878, This includes all indebtedness for which an additional tax has heretofore been paid and required. The necessity of the additional tax of one fourth of one per cent no longer exists and it is clear that the taxes can be reduced in that, if not a greater proportion, if wisdom and economy be practised by the incoming council,

No direct official information has been furnished me or the Council of the fact, yet there is no room to doubt that provision has been made by the Washington Steam Fire Engine Co to pay the foregoing bond at or before maturity and that money for that purpose has been deposited subject to the order of the proper committee.

The local or floating indebtedness of the Town amounts to $2188-which as customary will be paid from the next collection of taxes, this payment will not effect the amount usually required for the ordinary running expenses of the Town, and may be accounted for by the reduction of liquor license which went into effect last year, quarantine and sanitary expenses, and the addition to the police force which was useless and for which the Town did not receive an equivolent.

It is a source of regret that upon this subject that a majority of the council have not been in harmony with me, and that to them the number employed and not efficiency seemed to give protection to the citizens. In my opinion the protection furnished through the police has not been sufficient to warrant the expenditure in that direction.

As to the Town Marshal I can say that he has at all times endeavored to do his duty as he understood it, and at all times has promptly and cheerfully acted upon instructions given him.

The condition of the fire department is good, and consists of two hand engines, one steamer, one hose company, and one hook and ladder company, hose and reels are supplied each machine, with the exception of the Phoenix, which although supplied with five hundred feet of leather hose, is without a reel and cannot perform efficient fire duty until this want is filled The attention of the council has been called to this fact in former reports.

The purchase of a lot from Mr. Gleaves and the building of a house thereon, as recommended by the committee on Fire Department has through my efforts been delayed, as upon examination the title were found defective, and should therefore result in indefinitely postponing the whole matter.

The condition of the streets are as good as the condition of the finances will permit, and are clean and well kept. The amount of work done in that direction will be seen by reference to the report of the Town Marshal herewith submitted.

The drains have been well taken care of, and to this fact no doubt, together with clean streets much has been added to the reputation of the town for healthfulness. The experience of last summer and fall is evidence that with proper sanitary precautions Beaufort may be classed as one of the most healthful towns in the United States.

In the management of the quarantine and sanitary departments last season which proved so successful in preventing the introduction of yellow fever from adjacent cities where it had become epidemic in its worst forms, the citizens as well as myself are under obligations to H. M. Stuart, M. D., for his advice and assistance which at all times was ready and practical, and which rendered the town more healthful than in former years, and demonstrated that with proper precaution, contagious and infectious diseases could be successfully defied.

There has been brought before the Intendant's court during the fiscal year for trial or examination two hundred and fifty-one cases. One hundred and eighty-nine prosecutions against males and sixty-two against females. In none of these cases have appeals been taken except in the cases of the Town vs. Alice Burton, and one Page, charged with violating the ordinance regulating morality. decency &c., and although twenty-five persons have been arraigned under this ordinance during the present year, these are the only cases in which the jurisdiction of the Intendant has been questioned.

The cases disposed of are as follows:

Breach of peace,	50
Assault and battery,	10
Larceny,	14
Sleeping on streets—Drunkenness,	21
Violating ordinance regulating good morals &c.,	25
Profane, indecent or abusive language,	45
Contempt,	2
Vagrancy,	6
Malicious mischief,	5
Drunk and disorderly,	16
Violating market ordinance,	5
Violating quarantine,	1
Disorderly conduct,	5
Shooting in town limits,	5
Interfering with, or resisting an officer,	11
Assault,	5
Selling liquor on Sunday,	1
Selling and shooting fireworks,	6
Fast driving,	6
Boisterous language,	1
Tresspass,	1
Malfeasance,	1
Insanity,	2
Gambling,	5
Burglary,	2
Total.	251

Some cases have been turned over to the trial justice for want of jurisdiction, and many have been discharged without formal trial because of the trivial nature of the charge.

There has been imposed in fines $537.00 for which he town has received the money or its equivalent in work on the streets, except in the case of Burton and others which is held subject to the further action of the court. All money paid as fines is collected by the Marshal and turned over to the Treasurer.

It will be seen by the amount of fines when deducted from the salary paid to the Intendant for services in the town court that the expense of the office of Intendant to the taxpayers for the fiscal year, amounts to but sixty-three dollars. Whether the better order that prevails on the streets is an equivalent for this expenditure can easily be determined by the citizens.

In conclusion, let me say that although the rate of taxation is lower than that of a large number of towns in the State, that claim credit for good management, a wise economy can reduce expenditures and taxation to a lower rate than that which has for years prevailed.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED WILLIAMS,
Intendant Town of Beaufort.

LIST OF CLAIMS PAID.

1876.	No.	To Whom Paid. Service.	Am't
Aug. 4	1	Ann Middleton, audited bill, shells	$3.00
	2	Mr. Jones, Doctoring mule,	1.00
8	3	Andrew Johnson, extra police,	1.00
12	4	Joe Fields, " "	1.00
	5	Dan'l Richards, " "	1.00
	6	James Miller, " "	1.00
	7	Thos Barnes, " "	1.00
	8	Prince Robinson, " "	3.00
Sept. 4	9	Paul Hamilton, R. R. Tickets Quarantine messenger,	5.40
6	10	A. S. Davenport, Telegrams of Quarantine,	3,99
Oct. 11	11	Julius Schimeltfea, audited bill,	28.00
	12	Paul Hamilton, R. R. Tickets, Quarantine messenger,	3.40
	13	Managers of Election at 2.00 each,	6.00
	14	David Grayson, Toney D. Lawrence, Billy Chisolm extra police	3.00
	15	W. M. French, audited bill printing,	39,60
	16	A, S. Davenport, telegrams, quarantine,	3.25
Nov. 3	17	Alfred Williams, salary Intendant,	150.00
	18	Jos. Cohen, salary Marshal,	125.00
	19	J. C. Richmond Clerk,	37.50
	20	David Green, employee,	72.00
	21	Hamilton Robinson, police,	91.00
	22	Ben Watkins, employee,	36.00
Dec, 18 1877.	23	P. P. Toale, audited bill,	20.80
Jan. 2	24	Alfred Williams, salary,	150.00
9	25	Thomas Barnes, police,	34.00
10	26	P. E. Ezekiel, stationary & stamps	16.50
11	27	George Brown extra police,	5.00
12	28	Saml Gibbs, audited bill,	20.00
13	29	Charles Smith, moving safe,	5.00
20	30	Henry Harms, audited bill,	5.00
	31	S. M. Wallace, audited bill, feed	124.00
Feb. 2	32	W. H. Lockwood, bond 2 & int on bond 3,	2.282,87
5	33	J. C. Richmond, salary Clerk,	87.50
	34	Jos Cohen, salary, Marshal,	125.00
	35	Hamilton Robinson, police,	57.00
	36	Ben Watkins, employee,	47.00
	37	David Green, "	90.00
	38	F. Mandego, "	159.00
	39	Harry Wallace "	186.75
	40	Jos Robinson, police	127.00
	41	Toney Green, "	77.00
	42	J. McGregor, Engineer,	75.00
	43	W. H. Calvert, audited bills,	55.31
	44	George Waterhouse " "	183.99
	45	D. C, Wilson, & Co, " "	155.29
	46	J. M. Whitman, " "	10,50
	47	Jerry Savage, " "	19.50
	48	J. M. Crofut, " "	7.00
	49	F, W. Scheper, " "	279.95
	50	Wm. Wilson, " "	7.00
	51	Juo Talbird, " "	21.00
	52	Ben Jenkins, " "	31.50
	53	Wm. Mitchell, " "	15.00
	54	R. N. Wright " "	65.00
	55	M. W. Williams, " "	41.00
	56	Cato Perry, " "	90.00
	57	D. C. Wilson & Co, " "	2.01
	58	R. G. Holmes, " "	60.13
	59	E Lopez, " "	45.00
	60	H. Von Harten " "	60.00
	61	Standard & Commercial, "	67.00
	62	Beaufort Tribune "	35.50
	63	S. Mayo, "	93.52
	64	Joe Fields, police,	34.00
	65	John Franz, audited bill,	52.10
	66	E. G. Nichols, Town map,	20.00
	67	H. Comeford, new cart,	30.00
	68	Wm. Izzard Quarantine ex,	40.50
	69	Cornelius Mitchell, extra police	2.00
	70	James Miller, extra police 2.00	
	"	Henry Simmons, " " 2.00	
	"	Bill y Chisolm, " " 2,00	
	"	Jos Robinson, " " 3.00	
	"	A Johnson, " " 1.00	
	"	E. A. Morton, " " 1.00	
	"	L. J. Cohen, " " 1.00	
	"	Geo Brown " " 1.00	
	"	E. McTurious, " " 1.00	
	"	Isaac Moultrie, " " 1.00	15.00
	71	Jas. Frazier, bill of shells	3.90
	72	Judy Jackson, " " 1.75	
	"	Nero Bolan, " " 1.80	
	"	Dafney Corley, bill of shell, 45	
	"	Dan'l Hickerson, " " 1.50	
	"	Lydia Bryant, " " 105	
	"	Anthony Cheny, " " 4.50	
	"	Rebecca Cohen, " " 105	
	"	Tarquin Cohen, " " 90	13.00
	73	Edward Perry, stationary	25.60
	74	Peter Gibbs, ex service Marshal,	31.00
Feb 27	75	Larry Bryan, shells,	90
Mar 2	76	Southern Ex Co, police rattles,	7.50
	77	Town Marshal, R. R. fare pauper,	1.50
8	78	John Smith, work on street,	1.50
	79	E. A. Scheper, abatement of tax,	50.00
31	80	Alfred Williams, salary,	25.00
May 8	81	" " "	25,0
	82	F. W. Scheper, for M. Mehan, reward for arrest and conviction of Turner Banks per order of council,	100.00
	83	F. W. Scheper audited bill M. Williams,	161.61
	84	J. P. Boyce, audited bill Neil Mitchell,	109.32
17	85	M. Reich, audited bill,	11.90
30	86	Alfred Williams, salary,	25.00
31	87	Hamilton Robinson, police,	90.00
	88	Jos Robinson. "	90.00
	89	David Green, employee,	72.00
	90	Toney Green, Police,	90.00
June 6	91	R. G. Holmes, order Harry Wallace,	15.00
	92	Ann Middleton, shells,	3.60
July 2	93	Joseph Cohen special police,	20.00
16	94	Tribune & Commercial, printing	19.25
26	95	Wm. Elliott, Attorney fees,	50.00
30	96	H. Von Harten, rent,	220.00
	97	Bertha Von Harten, interest	61.25
	98	Neil Mitchell,	59.58
	99	Union Fire Engine Co,	50.00
	100	R. P. Rundle, coal;	9.50
	101	Thomas Barnes, Moses Frasier, Bias Middleton, } Special police	7.00
	102	Silsby Manuf Co, audited bill,	3.10
	103	Hetty Chisolm, feed prisoners,	3.30
	104	Conant & Emmons, Ice,	2.00
	105	Catherine Hall, shells,	60
	106	W. C. Morrison, audited bill,	1.25
	107	Paul Hamilton R. R. ticket poor,	4.30
	108	W. C. Morrison, audited bill,	140.40
	109	Peter Robinson, " "	79.50
	110	J. M. Crofut, " "	14,75
	111	W. A. Gordon, lumber,	1.00
	112	Jas. Maxwell employee,	12.50
	113	David Green "	41.00
	114	Ben Watkins, "	75.00
	115	R. Washington Sr, "	132.00
	116	Ned Wallace, "	132.00
	117	Harry Wallace, "	168.75
	118	Toney Green, police,	57,00
	119	Hamilton Robinson, police,	112 00
	120	Jos. Robinson, "	113.00
	121	Jos. Cohen, Marshal,	250.00
	122	J. C. Richmond, Clerk,	75.00
	123	A. Williams, salary Intendant,	225.00
	124	J. E. McGregor, Engineer,	50.00
	125	W. H. Devlin, "	25.00
	126	J. C. Richmond order of council,	607.88
		Total	$9623,80

Treasurer's Report.

To the Hon. Intendant and Wardens of the Town of Beaufort.

Gentlemen: In compliance with the ordinance entitled "An ordinance to create the office of Town Treasurer and prescribe the duties of the same and for other purposes," I hereby submit my annual report, for the year ending July 31st 1877.

DR.

To	Balance from last year,	$12.40
"	Leases,	70.00.
"	Market,	161.57
"	Licences,	2308.00
"	Fines,	192.00
"	Dog badges,	18.00
"	Estrays,	7.00
"	Special Tax,	18.00
"	Assessment,	5.839.83
"	Fire Department,	205.00
"	Indebtedness Bond,	1050.00
		$9781.80

There has been drawn on the Treasury 129 checks amounting to $9628.80, as follows:

Intendant,	600.00
Clerk and Treasurer,	757.88
Marshal,	530.00
Fire Department,	634.60
Contingent,	94.10
Abatement,	50.00
Sanitary,	861.48
Streets and Sewers,	1806.16
Police,	1039.50
Town Expenses,	573.07
" Improvement,	332.09
" Indebtedness,	2344.12
Poor Account,	5.80
	9628.80

RECAPITULATION

Receipts,	$9781.80
Expenditures,	9628.80
Balance on hand,	$153.00.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. C. RICHMOND,
Clerk and Treasurer.

Marshal's Report.

To the Honorable Intendant and Wardens of the Town Council of Beaufort.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to submit the following report of my work as Town Marshal for the year ending July 31st, 1877:

Under instructions from proper authority and under my immediate supervision over the employees of the town there has been 8099 feet of new side walks and curbing put down and the streets have been graded where necessary—There has been used upon the streets 12,768 bushels of shells. The drains have been kept clean, and curbed throughout the town and are in fair condition. There has been 18,780 loads of garbage taken from the streets by he town carts and carried beyond the limits of the town.

There has been 251 arrests made, and a large number of violations of law prevented by the timely interference of officers.

Fines to the amount of $281 have been collected one hundred dollars of which is held subject to the proceeding of the court.

The amount of work performed by the police and town employees may be ascertained by reference to the pay rolls for which checks have been issued by the Intendant and which are held as vouchers by him.

The amount of work performed on the streets by prisoners may be found by reference to the criminal docket of the Intendant's court. A large amount of work such as whitewashing and work on the streets have been performed by these persons

I have to report the fact that on the 27th inst, the horse belonging to the town died, as there is much need for two carts on the streets, would request that another animal be supplied in his stead. A hired horse is now temporarily used.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
JOSEPH COHEN,
Town Marshal.

NOTICE TO LIQUOR DEALERS.

OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BEAUFORT COUNTY
Beautort S. C. June 21, 1877.

Notice is hereby given that all liquor licences expired on the first day of May last and that all dealers in spirituous liquors must apply to this board for a renewal of the same.

The Grand Jury at the last term of court reduced the price of retail licences to one hundred and fifty dollars.

Notice is further given that the recommendation of the Grand Jury has been acted upon and the commissioners have decided to grant no quart licences except to those whose applications have already been filed.

All persons found selling liquors that have not licences are hereby notified that they will at once be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

THOS. H. WHEELER,
Clerk of the Board.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias to me directed and lodged in my office, I will sell at public outcry in front of my Office in the Town of Beaufort, on the first Tuesday in August next 1877, being the seventh day of said month during the legal hours of sale the following property, to wit:

Catherine M. Houzeal vs. Franklin Talbird.

All the right title and interest of Franklin Talbird, in and to all that House and lot situate lying and being in the Town of Beaufort, County of Beaufort and State of South Carolina, known as lot "C" in block No. 9, according to plat of said Town. Bounded north by Bogard street, south by Lawrence street, west by 3rd street and east by lot of E. E. Sams; levied upon as the property of Franklin Talbird at the suit of Catherine M. Houzeal.

Terms cash. Purchasers to pay for papers.

Beaufort S. C. WM. WILSON,
July 16th 1877 S. B. C.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Dwight P. Rich assignee of David Loring vs. Edward J. Coleman, L. P. Pitts, S. J. Holmes, Jennie Bush.

Judgement for Foreclosure.

By virtue of an Order of Hon, P. L. Wiggin made in the above stated case and to directed I will sell at public outcry, in the Town of Beaufort, between the legal hours of sale on the 7th day of August next being the first Tuesday in said month, the following property to wit:

All that piece parcel and lot of land situate lying and being in Beaufort Township, County and State aforesaid, and described as follows; one lot section 39 Township 19th range 1 south 1 west, and containing ten acres according to the United States Survey.

also

all that other tract of land situate lying and being in Pocotaligo Township, County and State aforesaid, containing thirteen hundred and seventy-two acres more or less, and fully described by metes and bounds of actual survey and recorded in Book No 8 page 570 of Deeds in Registers Office in said County and set forth in the notice of the pending of this action.

Terms for the ten acre parcel cash, for the Pocotaligo tract one half cash the balance on a credit of one year with interest on deferred payment at seven per cent, payment to be secured by bonds of purchaser and mortgage of the premises.

Beaufort S. C. WM. WILSON,
July 16th, 1877. S. B. C.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF BEAUFORT
IN THE COMMON PLEAS;

William F. Hutson Trustee of the Prescott Fund, plaintiff vs. William Elliott defendant.

Decree for Foreclosure and Sale.

By viture of an order of Hon. P. L. Wiggin made in the above stated case on the 12th June 1877, to me directed I will sell at public outcry on the first Tuesday in August 1877 in the Town of Beaufor between the legal hours of sale, that plantation in Prince Williams's parish, known as "Bethel" containing nine hundred acres more or less bounded north by lands of estate of Wm. Heyward east by lands John H. Screven, south by Pocotaligo River, and by lands formerly of J. M. Martin Said plantation will be sold in three parcels one parcel containing acres bounded north by lands late of the estate of William Heyward, east by lands of J. H. Screven and the public road leading from Saltketchie to Pocataligo, south by lands of Smith and Wyman, which bounds the public road from Coosawhatchie to Gardner's Corner, and west by the public road from McPherson ville to Pocotaligo. One parcel containing acres, bounded north by public road from Coosawhatchie to Gardners Corner and lands of G. G, Martin, east by lands of J. H Screven and south and west by Pocotaligo River.

One parcel containing acres bounded north by lands late of estate of Wm. Heyward, west by same and by lands late of J. M. Martin east by the public road from McPhersonville to old Pocotaligo and south by the public road from Coosawhatchie to Gardners Corner and lands of Smith and Wyman.

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